

Trans Am Club of America

Dayton Chapter, Inc.



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Host of the Trans Am Nationals since 1985

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A word from the President...

From our family to yours, we wish you Happy Holidays!

After the first of the year, we do have a couple of shows that we do as a club. You will find details on Pages 4-5. They are indoor, winter shows at Cavalcade of Customs in Cincinnati and Autorama in Greene County. Cavalcade is booked up, but there



is still time to enter for the Greene County show. If you can't participate, please come check out our displays at both! It's just something fun to do in January and February.

Have a safe and enjoyable Holiday season!

-Jerry

Birthday's & Anniversaries



December Birthdays -

12.01 Larry Hufford
 12.01 Karen McCracken
 12.01 Paisley Longman
 12.02 Debbie Pederson
 12.03 Brian Rielly
 12.06 Bob Deuel
 12.06 Debra Bay
 12.07 Marcia Deuel
 12.07 Brad Fries
 12.11 Paul Freese
 12.15 Jamie Jackson
 12.17 Michael Maloof
 12.20 Jeff Bowling
 12.23 Eric Freese
 12.25 Sherry Fillios
 12.26 Emily Lane
 12.27 Don Helcher
 12.29 Geno Nemetz
 12.30 Mathew Menke

January Birthdays -

01.03 Sue Emmel
 01.07 Philip Fillios

01.10 Chris House
 01.11 Valerie Waite
 01.13 Anne Schaumleffel
 01.14 Allen Kramer
 01.20 Dave Logsdon
 01.21 David Harris
 01.22 Vern Cook
 01.24 Spike Phillips
 01.25 James Harrelson
 01.25 Joseph Krimmer

February Birthdays -

02.04 Jeff Waite
 02.04 Brad Warfel
 02.04 Sue Hufford
 02.06 Candy Holloway
 02.13 Debby Thiem
 02.16 Stacie Cook
 02.18 Ron McCracken
 02.19 Chanda Mayer
 02.22 Henry (Bud) Stewart
 02.23 Jerry Minor

02.23 Tina Burton
 02.25 Jenn Mele

December Anniversaries -

12.18 Joseph & Lisa Krimmer

January Anniversaries -

01.19 Doug & Julie Trotter
 01.29 Everett & Jamie Jackson

February Anniversaries -

02.01 Dan & Karen Ervin
 02.22 James & Lisa Harrelson

Secretary's Report 11/5/23

Jerry presided over the meeting with 14 attending. Cheryl said membership is at 103. Scott made motion to keep same officers for next year and was seconded by Geno. The Fairfield Mall will not be able to host the Friday cruise next year, due to sales of property. Nat's Registration for 2024 is at 1. Security for next year was tabled until the next meeting. Jerry went over revisions for the new flyers.



Bev Zellers
Recording Secretary

Meeting dates for 2024 are : January 7th, March 3rd, May 5th, July 14th, August 11 is The Nationals Meeting, August 23,24,25 are the Nationals show dates, September 8th, and November 3rd.

Next Meeting January 7th, 2024 @ 2:00 Holiday Inn Fairborn.

Membership



Cheryl Minor
Membership Coordinator

Membership is at 102.

WELCOME TO OUR NEW MEMBERS:

James & Lisa Harrelson
Kings Mountain, NC

1968 Firebird
Red/Tan

Marc & Susan Basye
Tipp City, OH

1979 Trans AM
White/Red

AJ Mesaros Jr
Spring Valley, OH

Wants a Martinique Blue
78 Formula 400

See page 3 for a list of dues owed. Paying your dues will take you to January, 2025.

Trans Am Nationals

Your Nationals Committee has started work on the 2024 Nationals! We are in the process of creating a new Friday night experience, since the Mall at Fairfield Commons will not be able to have their cruise next year. The new flyers are updated and being printed. We will do our mass mailing in mid-January. We will also be finalizing our featured cars for the 2024 show and begin working on design concepts for the T-shirts. A couple of things to consider... it will be our 10th anniversary at the Holiday Inn, Fairborn... the 50th anniversary of the '74's... the 40th anniversary of the '84, 15th anniversary cars. Come join us at the January 7th meeting to discuss. Hope to see you there!



Jerry Minor
Nationals Chairperson

Calendar of Events

December - 2023

25th - Merry Christmas!

31st - New Year's Eve

January - 2024

1st - Happy New Year!

7th - Club meeting, Holiday Inn, Fairborn, 2pm

12th-14th - Cavalcade of Customs, Duke Energy Center, Cincinnati, OH

February - 2024

16th-18th - Powerama Show, Greene County Fairgrounds

List of dues owed for 2023/2024...

First Name	Last Name	Owed	First Name	Last Name	Owed	First Name	Last Name	Owed
Ron	Amburgey	\$24	Chris	House	\$24	Spike	Phillips	\$26
Craig	Ballweg	\$24	Larry	Hufford	\$24	Robert	Powers	\$24
Linda	Bauer	\$24	Crystal	Kindinger	\$24	Phillip	Russo	\$42
Mathias	Buckson	\$24	Mark	Kostecka	\$24	Robert	Schaumleffel	\$24
Andrew	Cabala	\$24	Allen	Kramer	\$24	John	Schinella	\$24
Vern	Cook	\$24	Joseph	Krimmer	\$24	Rodney	Sheffar	\$24
John	Cordeiro	\$24	TJ	LaFave	\$24	Bruce	Shepherd	\$24
Angelica	Daley	\$24	Mike	Lane	\$24	Jacob	Shepherd	\$24
Jacob	Dayton	\$38	Kris	Lindquist	\$24	Debby	Thiem	\$24
James	Earl	\$24	Michael	Maloof	\$24	Doug	Trotter	\$24
Scott	Fentz	\$24	Jeffrey	Mayer	\$24	Ronald	Tucker	\$24
Robert	Gaydo	\$24	Ron	McCracken	\$24	Jeff	Waite	\$24
David	Harris	\$24	Kirk	McHugh	\$24	David	Weller	\$24
Greg	Heimbush	\$24	Joe	Mele	\$44	Bob	Wessel	\$24
Don	Helcher	\$24	Christie	Menke	\$24			
Bob	Heywood	\$38	Jeff	Mitchell	\$24			
David	Hickman	\$24	Geno	Nemetz	\$24			
Jim	Hickman	\$24	Mark	Parrett	\$24			
Jerry	Holloway	\$24	Dennis	Parrish	\$24			

2024 Cavalcade of Customs

CINCINNATI, OH
JAN. 12 - 14 2024

64TH ANNUAL

O'Reilly AUTO PARTS **CAVALCADE**
CU^{of} CUSTOMS

FAST APPROXIMATES
FEATURES & SPECIALS
PARKING DIRECTIONS
STUDENT DAY
ENTRY POINTS
GET DIRECTIONS

ADMISSION

GATE: Discount Tickets Available at **O'Reilly Auto Parts**

General Admission:	23.00*	General Admission:	21.00*
Children 5-12:	8.00*	Children 5-12:	7.00*

Children 5 and Under Free.

Discount tickets available three weeks prior to show dates
*Purchase of a ticket does NOT guarantee an autograph from special celebrity guests

Discount Tickets available at **O'Reilly AUTO PARTS**

FRI JAN 12TH
3 PM - 9 PM

SAT JAN 13TH
10 AM - 9 PM

SUN JAN 14TH
10 AM - 6 PM

LOCATION

Duke Energy
Convention Center
525 Elm Street
Cincinnati, OH 45202
US

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O'Reilly AUTO PARTS

2024 Powerama



**Our Winter Show is
February 16th – 18th 2024
Let's Get You Registered**

POWERAMA CUSTOMS
NEXT BIG THING



*February, 2023 - Pic's
from Powerama website*



A SPECIAL WISH FOUNDATION, INC.

741 Valley Street | Dayton, Ohio 45404

September 14, 2023

Mr. Jerry Minor
Trans Am Club of America Dayton Chapter
8909 Tripoli Dr
Cincinnati, OH 45251-3035

Dear Mr. Minor,

Thank you for Everyone @ Trans Am

"We left with full hearts and memories that will never be forgotten. It was truly magical." - Cora's Mom

On behalf of the Board of Directors, staff, wish children and families of A Special Wish Foundation, Inc. - Dayton Chapter, I extend our gratitude for your recent contribution of \$20,000.00 made on 09/11/2023. This donation represents funds raised at the Trans Am Nationals fundraiser. We sincerely appreciate your efforts in planning this event on our behalf. It is through the continued support of the community that we are able to provide children, like Cora, who have been diagnosed with a life-threatening disorder their very Special Wish.

A Special Wish Foundation is the only wish-granting organization located in the Dayton region and all funds donated to the organization stay in our community to grant the wish of a deserving local child. Since the founding of the Dayton Chapter in 1983, over 1,800 wishes have been granted.

Thank you, once again, for your generous support of A Special Wish Foundation but, more importantly, thank you for helping to create memories that will last a lifetime for a child and their family.



Sincerely,

David
David Seyer
Executive Director

There are not enough words to express my deep level of gratitude to everyone involved w/ Trans Am International. The local children whose lives you continue to positively change are greatly appreciated.

A Special Wish Foundation - Dayton Chapter is a recognized 501(c)(3) nonprofit organization. Your contribution is fully tax deductible to the extent allowed by law. No goods or services were provided in exchange for your generous donation.

Thank You!

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From the family of our A Special Wish child, Jonah...



Thank you so very much to all involved with the Special Wish. We were very honored to be a part of the Trans Am National event. We are so thankful for your commitment and dedication to kids with special wish Foundation. Thank you for being a blessing to our family. We would like to share some pictures from the event. We will send some pictures of Jonah's wish when completed, in the future. Thank you so much again.

*Sincerely,
Ridley, Melissa, Jonah, Samuel
Ethan & Abigail*

*We are so thankful
&
grateful.....
Thank You!*





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Editor's Comments

PLEASE, let me know if there are any misprints or omissions in this newsletter!

As always, if you have anything that you would like to be included in our newsletter or any comments, please send it to me. I'll get it in a future newsletter.

- Cheryl

